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Mail and Departure of the Mail

HOLLY SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI. Mail, via Nashville, Tenn., and Ala. &c. arrives on Monday's, and Friday's, at 6 o'clock, and departs on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 5 A. M.

Northern mail via Memphis Tennessee, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays, at 6 P. M. and departs on Tuesdays and Saturdays at 5 A. M. Mail via Coffeeville, Mi. arrives on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays at 3 A. M.

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Stoma Mail arrives on Monday at 3 A. M. and leaves next morning at 3 A. M.

SING THE MAILS.

Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, the Mails will be closed at 4 o'clock, P. M.

Wm. POLK, P. M. Springs, Mi. 1839.—1—28—3t

Grand and Interesting PAINTING.

THE destruction of Jerusalem, by the Romans, is now offered for exhibition to the public, on Lagrange Street, Holly Springs. This scene occurred in the year of the Christian era, and 2d year of Vespasian, the Roman Emperor. It is well worth the consideration of the community. The painting has been accomplished by immense labor. It measures 15 feet high, and 9 feet in width.

TAILORING.

NO FIT NO PAY. Subscribers take this method of announcing to the public that they have the above business in all its branches with NEATNESS and ECONOMY, and all persons wanting a FIT FIT, will please call on HILL & MILVAIN.

South-East corner of the Public Square, first door South of the Union

J. J. HILL, W. G. MILVAIN, Springs, June 29, 1839.—24—4t

and Female Education.

Subscriber having recently settled in Springs, will open a School on Monday, for the reception of Male and Female scholars, in a new log building, near Robt. T. Daniel's residence.

Male Department will be under the supervision of Mr. Daniel. Female Department will be under the supervision of Mrs. Daniel. Instruction will be given in various branches usually taught in the Female Academies.

OF TUITION.

Reading, writing and arithmetic per session of 6 months, 12 00

English Grammar and Geography, 15 00

Other branches, 20 00

CHAS. A. SMITH, Springs, July 6—25—3t

ATTENTION.

REACUE will be given on the 1st day of July, at Tom Herron's Railroad, 9 miles south of Holly Springs, and 9 miles south of Watford. A full attendance of the candidates is expected, and it will continue from day to day until they get

NOTICE.

THOUSAND feet of first rate lumber, on the Old Academy Lot.

T. N. LOVING.

As my name has been published in the world as one of the stockholders of the McEwen, King & Co. Bank, and in the method of correcting the mistake, I do not own stock, no have I any interest in the Institution.

ROBERT SIMPSON.

25—6w

COTTON-GIN MANUFACTORY.

No performance no Pay.

THE undersigned beg leave to inform his friends and customers that he still continues to carry on the

GIN MANUFACTURING AND REPAIRING BUSINESS.

in all its various branches; he manufactures no gins only that of the very best quality, and of the very best materials, viz:

English polished, Caststeel saws—he also points his ribs with caststeel where the teeth passes through—that is perfectly hard which resists the friction, or wearing of the ribs at least ten to one, to that of iron. Persons wishing to purchase a gin, and wishing to get a GOOD one, would do well to give him a call and examine for themselves, as he is determined to make no gins that will not perform well and bear credit to the business of gin making. If any person should purchase a gin of him, and it does not perform equal to his expectation, he has the liberty of returning it and purchasing another of any other person at my expense of getting it there and starting it. Any person who may favor him with a call or an order for a gin, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.—The undersigned could give an extensive reference, if he thought it necessary.

JO W. BROOKS.

Wyatt Miss., July 6, 1839.—25—3m

The State of Mississippi,

Marshall County.

To all persons interested in the lands, tenements, and hereditaments of Robert Stone, deceased, Greeting:

YOU are hereby directed to appear before the Probate Court of the County of Marshall, at the Court House, thereof, in the town of Holly Springs, on the 4th Monday of September next, to show cause why an order should not then and there be made to sell the following described tract of land and town lots of which the said deceased died, seized and possessed, or so much thereof, as will be sufficient to pay his debts, to wit: the south west quarter of section no. 19, township no. 5, of range no. 4 west also, two acres of land adjoining the town of Chulahoma, on section no. 17, same township and range, and two town lots in said town of Chulahoma.

Witness, Thomas Lane, Judge of the Probate Court of the County of Marshall, the 4th Monday of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine, and the seal of said Court. Issued July 5th 1839.

WILL H. BOURLAND, Clerk.

July 6—25—6w—Pr's fee \$9 50.

NOTICE.

ON Monday the 5th day of August next, I will sell at the Court House in Holly Springs, for cash, Lot no. 26, in the town of Hudsonville, levied on as the property of Bullard D. Matthews, to satisfy an execution in favor of John P. Epps; also, at the same time and place, I will sell a part of lot no. 1, in the town of Hudsonville, 18 feet front and 44 feet back, and also a small block containing by estimate, 2 acres adjoining Dr. Matthews' lot, levied on as the property of John P. Epps, to satisfy an execution in favor of Walker & Adkinson.

ALF. SIMPSON, for L. McCROSKEY, Sheriff.

July 6—25—3t Pr's Fee \$5 00

PORTER CELLAR.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the citizens of Holly Springs, that he has opened a PORTER CELLAR, two doors below William Cat's on Commerce Street, leading East about two hundred yards from Williamson's Tavern, where he will keep constantly, for the accommodation of his friends, the very best PITTSBURG PORTER, and other Refreshments.

He invites the public to give him a call. Prices moderate.

T. BOYKIN.

June 8th 1839.—21.—3m.

J. C. BAILEY.

BEGS leave to inform the inhabitants of Holly Springs and vicinity, that he is prepared to execute with neatness,

House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTING.

Glazing and Paper Hanging, on moderate terms. From his long experience in the art, he flatters himself to please those who may favor him with their patronage. His shop is on Commerce Street, north east of the public square, where he may at all times be found ready to accommodate his customers.

april 27—15—4f

MISSING.

The left hand half of a hundred Dollar Note of the President, Directors and Company, of the Bank of the United States, Letter Q. No 418, dated, "Philadelphia, the 20th day of December 1831," and payable at their office of Discount and Deposit in Natchez. The above described half note was endorsed by John Webb, of Georgia, on the 1st day of April 1837, in a letter addressed to Mr. George Pullin, Wyatt, Miss., for my use. All persons are hereby cautioned not to receive the said half note, as by application has been made to the Bank for payment.

JOHN T. SWIFT.

June 8—21—3m

NAILS.

ONE HUNDRED Kegs Eastern Cut nails, just received and for sale by BRUNSON, CHEATHAM & Co.

HOLLY SPRINGS

University.

THE public generally, are respectfully informed that on account of the embarrassed state of this Institution, since the close of the last session, it has been disposed of, agreeable to the grants of its charter, to the Methodist Episcopal Denomination, and is now placed under their management and control, under the conviction that no literary institution, unconnected, either with the State or some christian body, can possibly succeed as well, when sustained by civil or religious relationship.

In the transfer of the Institution into the hands of another Board of Managers, the general character and object of the Institution has not been altered or violated, since the article of the Constitution, which "permits no efforts to teach the peculiar tenants of any political party or religious denomination" and which proposes, "that it shall be adapted in all its parts to make thorough and accomplished scholars; that the course of study be similar to those pursued in all the Colleges and Universities of the highest standing in our country, that it afford facilities for acquiring a scientific and business education, to those who do not wish to study the learned languages; and that it tends to cultivate a taste for literature and useful knowledge, and to cherish the principles of integrity, honor, patriotism and christianity" still remains the same; thus guarding against the improper influence of sectarian dogmas, and carrying forward upon a more permanent plan, the general object contemplated in the organization of the Institution.

The object and intention of the present Board is, to carry out fully, the design contemplated in the original plan, as time and circumstances may demand and means permit. viz. The establishment of a Medical and Law department, in addition to the preparatory department, and the college proper; and to spare no pains in the procuration of highly accomplished and the most approved Professors and Instructors, and all the necessary apparatus required in the progress of a highly finished education.

On account of limited time, the nature of existing circumstances, and the nearness of the approaching session, the Board have made no material change in the regulations of the Institution, and as permanent arrangements were made by the former Board, for the present year, ending in October next with slight modifications, the general arrangements for the ensuing session, will be as heretofore.

In order to attend to necessary preliminary matters, it has been deemed expedient to protract the present vacation two weeks beyond the stipulated time, so that the next session will not begin until the THIRD MONDAY OF JUNE, at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time, the session will open, and the exercises commence with a suitable address by the President of the Faculty.

For the coming session, the Institution will be under the management of the following Faculty, viz:

COLLEGE DEPARTMENT.

Rev. JOSEPH TRAVIS, A. M. President.

Rev. C. PARISH, A. M. Professor of Ancient Languages.

J. B. CLAUSELL, A. M. Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy.

A superior Teacher is at hand, to give instruction to any, who may wish to acquire a knowledge of the Modern Languages.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT

WILLIAM H. BLAKE, A. M. Principal.

JESSE LEWELLEN, Esq. Patron.

THOMAS A. FALCONER, Steward.

TERMS.

TUITION in the PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT, \$3, \$4, and \$5 00 per month, as heretofore.

TUITION in the COLLEGE DEPARTMENT, \$7 00 per month.

Boarding, per month, \$12 00

Room rent per month, 1 50

Washing per month, 2 00

The new brick dormitories will be comfortably prepared for the reception of Students. Each Student furnishes his own bed, &c.

Parents sending their sons from a distance are earnestly desired to pay for board and tuition in advance, or at an early period, have the money deposited in the hands of the Patron of the Institution, that it may be appropriated in payment of the same.

JOHN M. HOLLAND, President of the Board of Trustees.

JAMES C. ALDERSON, Secretary.

Holly Springs, June 4th 1839.—21—4f

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing between us in the practice of the law is dissolved by mutual consent. The business confided to us jointly will continue to receive our joint attention.

AN ACT

To alter and amend the act to incorporate the Northern Bank of the State of Mississippi.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, That so much of said act as provides for the payment of the stock of said Bank, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted, That so much of said Northern Bank Charter as provides for the construction of a Rail Road from the town of Holly Springs to Phillips' Point on the bank of the Mississippi, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Rules and Regulations for conducting the business of the Northern Bank of Mississippi: Adopted April 29, 1839.

RULE 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all the meetings of the board, except in cases of necessary absence, to convene the board on special occasions, and to give such attendance at the Bank, as the interest of the Institution may seem to require.

RULE 2. In all elections for officers of the institution, except the President, they shall be nominated by a member of the board, at a stated meeting, which nomination shall be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. The mode of their selection shall be by ballot, and in all elections by ballot, the person having the greatest number of votes shall be declared duly elected.

RULE 3. It shall be the duty of the cashier carefully to observe the conduct of those appointed under him, and to report to the Board such instances of neglect, incapacity or bad conduct, as he may discover in any of them; daily to examine the settlement of the cash accounts of the Bank, take charge of the cash, and whenever the actual amount does not agree with the balance of the cash account, report the same to the Board at the next meeting, and at the same time advise with the President in relation thereto; to attend all the meetings of the Board, and keep a fair and regular record of its proceedings; give such information to the board as may be required; consult with the committees when required on subjects referred by the Board, and also to perform such other services as may be required of him by the Board in the time of his official duties.

RULE 4. The Bank shall be kept open for the transaction of business from 9 o'clock A. M., until 2 o'clock P. M., every day in the year, except Sundays, Christmas days, the fourth of July and such other days, as by a resolution of the Board may be directed.

RULE 5. The books of the Bank shall be regularly balanced on the last business day in June and December annually, when the half yearly dividend shall be declared and published in such manner as the board may direct. The said settlement of the Books shall be examined and certified to by a committee to be appointed for that purpose.

RULE 6. The Bank will receive deposits free of all expense, and will keep the same, subject to the order of the depositor payable at sight, and will receive as special deposits precious metals either in bullion or coined, and other articles of value of small bulk, at the risk of the depositor.

RULE 7. The stated meetings of the Board shall be held at the Banking House on Thursday of each week at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M., from 1st May, to 1st November, and at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., from the 1st November, to 1st May. The President may call a special meeting of the Board, whenever in his judgment the affairs of the Bank may seem to require it, or when required so to do by two or more members.

RULE 8. All notes to be offered for discount shall be deposited in Bank during the banking hours the day previous to each discount day, and laid before the Board on the days assigned for discount, together with a statement of the funds and situation of the Bank, for their information.

RULE 9. On every application for discount, each Director in attendance at the Board shall vote for or against the same, and no discount shall be made if opposed by two members; and all notes and bills discounted, shall be entered on a book, to be called the "credit book" in such a manner as to discover to the Board at one view, the amount for which any person is liable as discount, payer, security or endorser.

RULE 10. No person shall be liable at any one time as payer, to a greater amount than (\$12,000.)

RULE 11. No Director or Officer of this Bank shall disclose the amount of discounts made, and strict secrecy shall be observed as to all transactions of the Board.

RULE 12. On each discount day, the name of every person who shall have overdrawn his account, since the last discount day, and is then in arrear, every person who may be under protest, either as payer, security or endorser, and every person who may have failed in payment of his stock subscription, when called on for that purpose in the mode indicated in the charter, shall be reported to the Board, and no person reported as aforesaid, shall be allowed a discount while the disability aforesaid may exist.

RULE 13. If any bill or note belonging to the Bank, or placed there for collection, shall not be paid, before the shutting of the Bank, on the day it may become due and payable, such bill or note shall be forthwith protested, and when protested the effects pointed out in the 12th Rule of the Bank shall follow; provided that after a note or bill, not the property of the Bank, shall be taken out, the disability shall cease. Bills or notes deposited at any time before the commencement of the days of grace for collection, shall be proceeded with as bills or notes discounted, unless the person depositing shall otherwise direct in writing; provided in case of non-payment or protest, the person lodging the same shall pay the notarial fee. A reasonable compensation may be charged on all collections made at distant places.

RULE 14. Every person who opens an account and transacts business with the Bank, shall subscribe his, her, or their name in a book to be kept for that purpose, and to be called the "book of signatures," and the President and Cashier may also require from any house or firm doing business with the bank and consisting of more than one person, a declaration of names, and place of residence of the persons composing said firm.

RULE 15. No Director without special authority from the Board, shall be permitted to inspect the cash account of any person with the Bank.

RULE 16. A committee on the state of the Bank, shall be appointed once in three months, to examine and audit the discounted paper, and compare the amount thereof with the balance of the amount or bills discounted on the general ledger; and they shall also count the cash and ex-

amine the evidences of the other property belonging to the Bank, make an account inventory of the same, to be compared with the books in order to ascertain their agreement, and report to the Board when prepared to do so.

RULE 17. All emissions of the Bank shall be made by resolutions of the Board, directing the amount to be issued, and of what denomination.

RULE 18. All notes that shall have become unfit for circulation, shall be cancelled by a committee to be raised for that purpose, whose duty it shall be to have recorded the amount so cancelled, specifying the particulars as to the date, number and denomination, and sign the said record with their names; which record shall be laid before the Board at their first meeting thereafter, and the notes when compared with the record, shall be burned in presence of the Board.

RULE 19. No note shall be printed or signed, or Bank paper made or purchased, unless by directions of the Board; and moreover it shall be the Duty of the President to sign at the bank all bills or notes that may be issued, unless otherwise permitted by the Board.

RULE 20. It shall be the duty of the Cashier, to countersign at the Bank all bills or notes to be signed by the President by order of the board.

RULE 21. A seal with a suitable device, for the use of the bank shall be established; and the President shall have power to affix the seal to all conveyances or other necessary instruments of writing, and sign the same on behalf of the corporation; the said seal, as also the plates for the Bank notes, paper-moulds and bank paper shall remain in the custody and safe keeping of the President.

RULE 22. There shall be issued to the Stockholders, certificates for the number of shares, which he, she or they may respectively own, stating the amount paid thereon, which certificate shall be signed by the President and countersigned by the Cashier.

RULE 23. All transfers of the stock of this Bank shall be made upon a book or books to be kept for that purpose either at the bank, or such other place or places, as shall be designated by the Board of Directors, to be called "Transfer Book," and all transfers may be made by the proprietors or their lawful attorneys; the certificate to be surrendered at the time the transfer is made.

RULE 24. All notes and bills discounted by the bank, shall be charged to the account of the payer or payers when due; provided, there are funds to the credit of the person or persons, should he, she or they neglect to have the same taken up before the shutting of the Bank on the last day of grace.

RULE 25. All notes discounted by the Bank to meet the payment of any note or bill due the bank, shall not be drawn for, nor applied to any other purpose whatever.

RULE 26. It is understood and declared as an express condition between the bank and the person having or opening accounts with it, that deposits of money, or notes for collection lodged with the Bank, must be entered on the dealer's bank book, at the time the deposit is made, and that the bank will only be held accountable for deposits of money entered on the dealer's bank book, by the Teller, or when such deposits are actually entered in the Teller's cash book.

RULE 27. No one of the foregoing rules shall be repealed or altered, or any officer of the Bank removed, unless two-thirds of the Directors present vote for the same nor unless upon a motion made for that purpose at a previous meeting of the board. But the President and Cashier, whenever they deem it proper, may suspend any sub-officer for incapacity, neglect or other misconduct, and supply his place with another, until a meeting of the Board can be convened to act on the subject.

RULE 28. The proceedings of the Board of Directors when conducting business as a deliberative body, shall be governed by the following regulations.

1st. When the President takes the chair, the members shall take their seats, each being uncovered.

2d. The Minutes of the preceding meeting shall be read and signed by the President before the board proceeds to any other business, and no debate shall be admitted or question taken at such meeting, except as to errors and inaccuracies. The state of the bank shall then be read and discounts settled.

3d. The President shall be the judge of order, and his decision shall be immediately submitted to, unless two members require an appeal to the board. He shall name all committees, unless herein otherwise provided, or unless the board shall otherwise determine.

4. No debate shall be entered into on any motion or resolution, until it shall be settled from the chair; and all motions and resolutions before offered shall be reduced to writing, and no member shall speak more than twice on any question, without leave of the board.

5. While a resolution is under discussion, no motion shall be made, except to amend, divide, commit or postpone it; but it shall be in order, at any time, on a call of two members, to take the previous question, which shall be—"Will the board at this time act on the subject?" and if it shall be decided in the affirmative, the debate may be continued. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, but shall be decided without debate.

6. A member may call for a division of a question or resolution, when the sense will admit of it; but no amendment which tends to destroy the general sense of the clause of a resolution, shall be admitted.

7. If business of different kinds shall be called for at any time, by the different members, the President will judge and give preference accordingly.

8. The yeas and nays shall be taken on any question, if called for by one member previous to the decision. But no motion for re-consideration shall be permitted, unless made and seconded by members who were in the majority on the original question.

9. At the request of any two of the board, the names of the members who make and second a motion, shall be entered on the minutes.

RULE 29. An exchange committee, to consist of the President, Cashier, and two Directors, shall be appointed monthly, and shall daily attend at the bank, and pass upon all bills of exchange offered for sale, and shall determine the rates at which the same shall be taken by the bank.

RULE 30. No teller, clerk or servant in the bank, shall be permitted to have an account with the same, but shall receive his salary, monthly, from the cashier.

RULE 31. The Cashier shall give a bond in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, (\$50,000,) with three or more securities approved by the board, for the faithful performance of his duties. The teller or clerk or clerks shall each give bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.)

RULE 32. When any resolution may be offered changing the general policy of the institution or its method of transacting business, it shall be laid on the table and called up at the next regular meeting, or postponed to some definite stated meeting.

RULE 33. No Director shall be permitted to take his seat at the board while under protest as payer, security or endorser.

RULE 34. Members of the board violating any of the foregoing rules, or failing to give punctual attendance at all meetings of the directory, shall be amenable to the board and dealt with as a majority of them may think proper.

RULE 35. Any of the foregoing rules or regulations may be suspended in their operation by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

RULE 36. When ever the name of any director is upon any bill or note, offered for discount, either as principal or security, said director shall withdraw from the room when the bill or note is acted on.